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ACTIVITY SUMMARY

1. FURNISH

To procure shipping containers to protect spools and film for CONONA. Recent evidence has shown that CONONA film spools are being damaged and destroyed by improper handling. At present it is estimated that approximately 30 to 40 spools have been lost or destroyed at a loss of about [REDACTED]

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2. DESCRIPTION OF WORK OR SERVICES REQUIRED

To manufacture and furnish 60 film shipping containers similar to those already in use on CHALICE at a cost of [REDACTED] each. Containers, after being used on CONONA and CONONA FILMS, will be available for CHALICE or CHALICE after small modification.

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3. EXPECTED ADDITIONAL OR RELATED WORK OR SERVICES

A requirement for an additional 40 shipping containers may be required to satisfy all of CONONA and CONONA FILMS requirements.

4. TOTAL ANTICIPATED COST

Total estimated cost is [REDACTED] and recommendation is made to procure these on Contract [REDACTED]. This would use all available money for CONONA film requirements. However, it is believed, according to present schedules, there will be a savings of at least [REDACTED] on CHALICE requirements funded under [REDACTED]

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5. DELIVERY SCHEDULE OR PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE

Delivery of the film shipping containers will start with 14 being delivered the week of 28 March and continue at 14 a week until all cans are delivered. As delivered, the cans will be held in a bonded warehouse at [REDACTED] to meet anticipated CONONA film delivery.

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It is recommended that [] from the CHALICE task funds in [] be diverted to the COMINT task for procurement of the above shipping containers.

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COMMENTS:

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APPROVED:

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Distribution: 1 - Contracts/DFD
1 - CH/CH/DID
1 - CH/INT/DID
1 - ACH/DID

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